Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 STATE 174104

60
ORIGIN CAB-09

INFO OCT-01 EUR-25 ADP-00 EB-11 COME-00 FAA-00 RSC-01 /047 R

DRAFTED BY CAB:MPETT:DAP
8/31/73 EXT.7226
APPROVED BY EB/AN:WBCOBB
EB/AN - MR. GLASOE
EUR/IB - MR. MARTIN
---------- 111404
R 311918Z AUG 73
FM SECSTATE WASHDC
TO AMEMBASSY LISBON

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE STATE 174104

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: ETRN, PO
SUBJECT: CIVAIR - WINTER SCHEDULES OF U.S. CARRIERS

1. SINCE U.S.-PORTUGAL SCHEDULE SCREENING ARRANGEMENTS EXPIRED MARCH 31, 1973, FOLLOWING IS PROVIDED ONLY FOR THE EMBASSY'S INFO.

2. PAN AM WINTER SCHEDULES, EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 28, INCLUDE A DAILY 747 SERVICE NEW YORK-LISBON, WITH FOUR WEEKLY BEYONDS TO BARCELONA AND THREE TO CASABLANCA. LAST WINTER, A 707 OPERATED THIS SERVICE, WITH SIX WEEKLY BEYONDS TO BARCELONA AND ONE TO CASABLANCA. THE ONE WEEKLY SERVICE BETWEEN BOSTON AND LISBON VIA THE AZORES NOW GOES BEYOND TO BARCELONA, NICE AND ROME, INSTEAD OF CASA-BLANCA. THUS, PAA'S WEEKLY FREQUENCY TO PORTUGAL WILL RE-MAIN AT ELEVEN, BUT CAPACITY WILL INCREASE BY 102 PERCENT DUE TO INTRODUCTION OF 747 AIRCRAFT ON THE DAILY NEW YORK-LISBON-BEYOND ROUTE.

3. TWA PLANS TO USE A 747 INSTEAD OF A 707 FOR THE PERIODS OCTOBER 28 TO JANUARY 6 AND MARCH 15 TO APRIL 1 ON NEW YORK-LISBON-MADRID SEGMENT OF A DAILY FLIGHT WHICH GOES
LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 STATE 174104

BEYOND WITH 707 EQUIPMENT TO ROME, ATHENS AN CAIRO.

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

(DURING THE SLACK PERIOD JANUARY 6-MARCH 15 IT WILL REVERT TO USE 707'S ON THE WHOLE ROUTING.) TWA WILL ELIMINATE THE THREE WEEKLY 707 SERVICES BETWEEN NEW YORK

AND LISBON WHICH IT OPERATED LAST WINTER. THUS, TWA'S FREQUENCIES WILL DECREASE BY THREE (FROM ELEVEN TO EIGHT), BUT AVERAGE CAPACITY INCREASE OVER THE 5 MONTH PERIOD WILL BE 21 PERCENT (BASED ON A DECREASE OF 27 PERCENT DURING JANUARY 7 TO MARCH 14 PERIOD AND AN INCREASE OF 69 PERCENT FOR THE REST OF THE WINTER PERIOD).

4. TOTAL U.S. CARRIER AVERAGE CAPACITY INCREASE COMPARED TO LAST WINTER WILL BE 61 PERCENT (BASED ON AN INCREASE OF 36 PERCENT DURING THE JANUARY 7 TO MARCH 14 PERIOD AND 85 PERCENT DURING THE REST OF THE WINTER PERIOD). HOWEVER, TOTAL FREQUENCIES WILL BE THREE LESS THAN LAST WINTER (NINETEEN INSTEAD OF TWENTY-TWO).

5. THE CAPACITY INCREASE CHANGES ARE DUE SOLELY TO THE SUBSTITUTION OF 747 EQUIPMENT FOR 707. BECAUSE THE IBERIAN PENINSULA GROWTH RATES ARE HIGHER THAN THE REST OF EUROPE, PAA AND TWA FEEL NOW IS APPROPRIATE TIME TO INTRODUCE 747 ON WINTER SERVICES TO PORTUGAL. INCREASED PROMOTION OF THE IBERIAN PENINSULA WILL OF COURSE SIMULTANEOUSLY TAKE PLACE. ADDITIONAL FACTORS IN PAN AM'S EQUIPMENT UTILIZATION ARE ITS NEW BEYOND PATTERN TO MOROCCO AND INTERNAL ECONOMIES RELATED TO CREW SCHEDULING.
ROGERS

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 31 AUG 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: RELEASED
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: garlanwa
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment: 25 YEAR REVIEW
Disposition Date: 28 MAY 2004
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973STATE174104
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: MPETT:DAP
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: n/a
From: STATE
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t1973082/aaaaaayx.tel
Line Count: 89
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ORIGIN CAB
Original Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: garlanwa
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 21 SEP 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <21-Sep-2001 by rowellE0>; APPROVED <16-Nov-2001 by garlanwa>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: CIVAIR - WINTER SCHEDULES OF U.S. CARRIERS
TAGS: ETRN, PO, (SHULTZ, GEORGE P)
To: LISBON
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005